

FINAL PEACE ACT IN WASHINGTON

Ratifications of Treaty Will Be
Exchanged in White
House.

TWO NATIONS RESUME DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS

Takahira Makes a Call, Both
Personal and Official, on
Baron Rosen.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 4.—Ratifications of the treaty of Portsmouth will be exchanged at Washington between Baron Rosen, the Russian Ambassador, and Mr. Takahira, the Japanese Ambassador, as soon as these important documents are received from St. Petersburg and Tokyo. The ratifications will contain the French and English texts of the treaty. This was decided at a conference today between Baron Rosen and Mr. Takahira, which began in the Russian Embassy's apartments and was concluded at the State Department.

Takahira Calls on Rosen.

Mr. Takahira called on Baron Rosen this morning to find out from him the usual form of the ratification. In order that the Minister might inspect a copy, they went to the State Department where Mr. Arthur D. Third Assistant Secretary of State received them and showed the ratification of the treaty. Minister Takahira will inform his Government fully on the subject so that the ratifications may conform. The special powers to be conferred on the plenipotentiaries enabling them to exchange ratifications with each other is complete.

In Effect Is Ratified.

The approval of the treaty by the Privy Council at Tokyo in effect ratifies the convention, and it is expected the formality of the Emperor's signature will follow shortly. As the Emperor's signature is not yet affixed, the exchange of ratifications is only a formality.

Japan will be ready to exchange as soon as the Emperor's signature is affixed, and the formal ratification can be prepared and delivered at the legation here. It is not believed that the Russian ratification will be long delayed.

Diplomatic relations between the late belligerents have been resumed at Washington. Returning the courtesy paid him in New York by Baron Rosen, who called several times on the Japanese plenipotentiaries, Mr. Takahira made his call this morning personal as well as official and the two envoys have corresponded frequently since the treaty was signed.

Roosevelt Will Witness It.

No arrangements have been concluded for the ceremony of the exchange of ratifications, but it is probable that the signing of the treaty at Portsmouth. The chief difference between the two countries will be the presence of President Roosevelt, who will be invited by the two envoys to witness the exchange. It is probable that the President will place the White House at the disposal of the envoys on this occasion.

Until October 31 the Salt Lake Route offers extremely low rates to Los Angeles, for \$25. Stop-overs allowed at Salt Lake, Las Vegas, and persons contemplating going to the Pacific coast to settle should bear this in mind, as it is the lowest rate ever offered. See any agent of the San Pedro, Los Angeles & Salt Lake railroad.

FALLS TO HIS DEATH

Banker Faints, Wife and Son Try
in Vain to Save Him.

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—Notwithstanding a desperate struggle and the wife and son to hold him by the feet after he had fainted and toppled over the sill of an open window, George Krapp, cashier of the Coover Exchange bank, fell to the street from the fourth floor of his home at 209 West Ninety-seventh street today and was killed.

Seized Him by the Feet.

Mrs. Krapp and her son, Herbert, saw Mr. Krapp, who is in his sixties, suddenly fall over backward. Mother and son jumped to the window in time to seize the falling man by the feet. He was safely held for a few seconds, screaming for help, but the assistance was slow in coming, and Mr. Krapp's weight began to pull him away from his rescuers.

Wife Is Unnerved.

The realization of this terrible fact caused the wife's strength to desert her completely, and the son, who was holding her, slipped and was compelled to hold his father alone, and was too light for his father's superior weight.

Falls to the Street.

Exhausted and on the point of being dragged over the window sill himself, the boy lost his grip and Mr. Krapp fell to the street. He died soon afterward. He was 42 years old.

TO EXCHANGE PRISONERS

Russia Agrees to Proposition
Presented by Japan.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 4.—Russia today agreed to the Japanese proposition to exchange prisoners of war, whereby 199 Japanese prisoners in Russia will be delivered at once on the point of the frontier of Russia and 6,000 Russians will be delivered at the ports of Kobe, Nagasaki and Yokohama, whence they will be conveyed to Vladivostok in ten Russian transports now en route to Shanghai and Saigon and two or three other ships which are being sent to the Baltic.

The American Charge d'Affaires, Henry Eady, is endeavoring to make a special and more speedy arrangement for the release of 250 sick Japanese, for whom it is hoped Japan may send a ship direct to the Baltic.

EXPLOSION KILLS TWO

Escaping Gas Works Have in Cincinnati Courthouse.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 4.—A terrible explosion of gas under the floor of the County Commissioners' office, the Court House, this afternoon, killed George Zimmerman, chief clerk of the Commissioners, and Russell Blair, an assistant clerk. George Malesy and George Kistman, county employees, were injured.

The explosion was caused by escaping gas coming into contact with a lighted match in the hands of an employee, who was looking for a leak.

Standard Again Advances Oil.

PITTSBURGH, Oct. 4.—The Standard oil company today advanced the price of Pennsylvania and Texas oil 5 cents. The other grades of oil were not changed. Quotations are: Pennsylvania, 15¢; Texas, 16¢; Colorado, 16¢; New Castle, 15¢; Cabel, 15¢; North Lima, 15¢; South Lima and Indiana, 15¢; Somerset, 14¢; Pagan, 14¢.

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GEN. WRIGHT REPORTS LOSSES EXAGGERATED

Philippines Governor Sends
Storm Damages as Far as
Yet Reported.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 4.—In a cablegram to the War department today Gov. Gen. Wright stated that the full results of the recent storm which passed over the Philippines are not known, the reports being still incomplete, but he expressed the opinion that the losses were exaggerated. With reference to the Leyte disaster, he says that the death of Hart has not been confirmed by mail advices. He, however, reported that Edwin S. Ely was among those who lost their lives on the Leyte, his nearest relative being given as Edwin C. Ely, 417 Monroe street, Peoria, Ill.

Message From Corbin.

The department today received the following cablegram from Gen. Corbin giving particulars of damage by the storm: Telegrams dated Camp Davao, September 25 and September 27, just received, report the following results there: Typhoon lasting from 11 o'clock at night September 25 until next morning, five barracks and bakery blown down, totally wrecked; four barracks, post exchange, five officers' quarters, three non-commissioned staff quarters, forage-house, one stable, one mess hall, quarters, badly damaged; roofs all blown away.

List of the Injured.

Following injured, all of Ninth Infantry: RALPH T. STOFFER, Hospital corps, cerebral concussion; RALPH T. STOFFER, company I, contusions shoulder and neck.

WILLIAM J. CARROLL, company M, lacerated and contused wound left foot.

ELBERT METZGER, company L, contusion, head and face.

OTTO ELLIN, company L, contused wound right temple.

LOUIS E. FROST, company M, lacerated, contused wound scalp and sprain left knee.

JOHN B. GOODWIN, company K, contusion right side.

JOHN HANLEY, company K, contusion, severe lacerations, probable fracture right arm.

FRANK KOHLER, company M, lacerated and contused wound right leg and hip.

EVERETT MILLER, company M, contused and lacerated wound right ankle.

JOHN MULRYAN, company M, right foot cut.

LOUIS J. PLANT, company M, left foot and right hand.

WILLIAM L. JOHNSON, company M, compound comminuted lower jaw; same both bones right wrist.

Excepting Hanley and Johnson, wounds thought not dangerous. Surgeons think all will recover. Excepting Batangas, with which there is no communication yet, it is all typhoons have now been reported, repairs ordered and under way.

LITTLE TRACE OF BANDITS

Bloodhounds Lose Trail at Remains
of a Camp.

SEATTLE, Wash., Oct. 4.—Sheriff Lou Smith, of King county, late this afternoon recalled all his deputies who were scouring the city to the north of Ballard in an effort to locate the men who robbed the Great Northern train ten miles out of Seattle, Monday night. This action was taken by the Sheriff as he was convinced that the robbers were no longer in hiding in the neighborhood of the scene of the crime, but were either in this city or had escaped northward toward Everett or Bellingham.

Find Remains of a Camp.

During the day Robert H. Wright, with two other deputies and three bloodhounds, succeeded in finding the remains of a camp where it is thought the hold-up men stayed on the night of the robbery. The camp was a mile in the woods near Bitter Lake and in a desolate spot. The hounds were unable to carry the scent any further than this place.

Shady Ones Are Missing.

It is reported that Terry, suspected of robbing the C. & P. R. a year ago, has been hiding from Sumner since the night preceding the late robbery. Bill Miner, an ex-convict, sentenced for robbery and murder to be in the neighborhood of the scene of the crime, the Bellingham police are looking for them.

Couldn't Prove Identity.

BOSTON, Oct. 4.—Because the German officials who had told that Julius Elkans, accused of embezzlement of \$100,000, was a passenger on board the Red Star liner Marquette, booked as Wilhelm Strauss, were unable to produce evidence, the Strausses and Elkans were identified. Commissioner of Immigration Billings today released Strauss and Miss Esther Marks, who was detained with him. Miss Marks is on her way to New York and Mr. Strauss to California.

DISCUSS TUBERCULOSIS

Members of American Delegation
Take an Important Part.

PARIS, Oct. 4.—The International Tuberculosis congress today discussed the various forms and chemical aspects of consumption. It was admitted that a specific curative medicine has not been discovered, but the palliative qualities of certain remedies were recognized.

Dr. Pierre Roux, director of the Pasteur Institute, maintained the efficiency of surgical intervention in the initial stages of intestinal tuberculosis.

Great interest was manifested in suggestions made for the protection of school children, and it was proposed to institute books of record showing the state of health of the children in order to effectually separate the pupils into categories by dividing the affected from the healthy.

The members of the American delegation took a large part in the discussions. Dr. P. Ottlinger of California gave a clinical study of mixed affections.

Dr. McCormick, the American Ambassador, entertained the American delegation at luncheon.

PRISONER SHOTS AT JAILER, HITS DOCTOR

Man Under Life Sentence Makes
Desperate Attempt to
to Kill.

SEATTLE, Wash., Oct. 4.—John Hildebrand, under life sentence for participation in the robbery of Mat Conway's saloon, nearly a year ago, during which Matthew Murphy, a patron, was killed, made an attempt this afternoon to kill Jailer Wise. Jail Physician Gorsen, who jumped in front of the jailer, was shot over the right eye.

Shot Jail Physician.

Sheriff L. C. Smith, who ran to the jailer's rescue, fired twice at Hildebrand before the prisoner dropped his gun and was overpowered by trustees. Jailer Wise, who was unarmed, had in the meantime fled beyond range of Hildebrand's gun.

Had Gun Concealed.

Hildebrand asked this afternoon to be taken out to see the jail physician, Jailer Wise brought him from the north tank to the jail office. As soon as he was taken out of the tank he began to fight with the jailer. While the jailer, his aide and Hildebrand drew a revolver from its place of concealment under his shirt and opened fire on the jailer.

Doctor Jumps on Convict.

As Hildebrand raised his gun to shoot, Dr. Gorsen jumped in front of him to overpower the convict. As Hildebrand fired the bullet struck the physician over the right eye, seriously wounding him.

Jailer Runs for Weapon.

Jailer Wise was unarmed, and he ran to secure a weapon, jumping out of Hildebrand's line of fire before the desperate convict could shoot. Trusties shot Hildebrand an order to drop his gun, but he ignored them.

Sheriff Smith ran out of the Sheriff's office with a revolver in his hand and ordered Hildebrand to drop his weapon. The highwayman stood in the jail corridor, in plain view of the Sheriff from the grated door, but refused to shoot.

Wouldn't Shoot Sheriff.

"I won't after you. I want Wise," he said. Sheriff Smith shot, but Hildebrand neither returned the fire nor dropped his gun. Again the Sheriff fired, and then Hildebrand let his revolver drop to the floor. Trusties rushed up and overpowered him, Jailer Wise coming to their assistance and helping to carry Hildebrand back to the tank.

About to Go to Pen.

Hildebrand was to have been taken to the State penitentiary either tonight or tomorrow morning, with Jack Chesterfield and other prisoners here awaiting the arrival of guards.

DANGER IN DRUGS BY MAIL

Such Is Warning Given in Druggists' National Convention.

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—The National Wholesale Druggists' association in convention here today chose Washington, D. C., as the meeting place of the next annual convention. Among the officers elected was L. B. Sate, Los Angeles, as fourth vice-president.

The statement that the health of thousands of people is being ruined by drugs which they receive by mail was made to the wholesale druggists by John C. Gallagher of Jersey City.

At the afternoon session the convention voted in favor of a national pure food law.

Mr. Hoover of Denver hoped that the convention would go on record as being in favor of giving the Interstate Commerce commission more power in rate-making.

After a further exchange of views, which showed the majority to be in favor of uniformity in the matter of rates on new rate legislation, the convention passed a resolution authorizing the president of the National Wholesale Druggists' association to appoint a committee to attend the Interstate Commerce Law convention to be held in Chicago shortly.

BREAK OFF CONFERENCE

Grand Trunk and Striking Switchmen Can't Agree.

CHICAGO, Oct. 4.—The conference between the officials of the Grand Trunk railroad and the striking switchmen broke off tonight with no agreement in sight.

The men were satisfied with the working conditions, but demanded an agreement and the reinstatement of three men who had been discharged. The railroad declared that the three men were chronic disturbers, and would not again be employed. He declined to make an agreement with the union. It agreed, however, to maintain the present conditions in the yards, which are satisfactory to the switchmen.

It is possible that during the next week the strike may spread to other points on the road.

CHILDREN CREMATED

Three Little Ones Lose Lives in Apartment-House Fire.

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—Fire which started tonight in the cellar of a four-story apartment house in Brooklyn spread so rapidly that the escape of Charles Donnelly, his wife and three children on the top floor was cut off. Firemen rescued the father and mother, both of whom were seriously burned, and after the fire had been extinguished the charred bodies of the children, Charles, aged 8 years; Robert, aged 6, and Catherine, aged 3, were found in their apartment.

MOB WOULD LYNCH INHUMAN PARENTS

Sheriff Flees With Prisoners
Charged With Torturing
Boy to Death.

FORT SCOTT, Kan., Oct. 4.—The county jail here is surrounded tonight by men who insist that Mrs. Belle Higgins, her daughter, Clarissa, aged 14 years, and her husband, George Higgins, held by the coroner's jury for the death of Higgins's six-year-old son by a former wife, should be lynched.

The Sheriff, expecting an assault on the jail, has it is reported, fled with the prisoners. The jail is strongly guarded.

Boy Tortured to Death.

That the little boy was tortured to death is specifically charged by the coroner's jury. The boy's two-year-old sister was also cruelly treated, and is at the point of death in a hospital here. While Mrs. Higgins's own children were well and treated kindly, the two step-children, according to the evidence presented to the coroner's jury, were literally starved.

Take Prisoners to Girard.

It is understood that the Sheriff will take the prisoners to Girard, Kan., twenty-six miles south of here.

TRANSFER CANAL CONTROL

Entire Business to Be Placed With the State Department.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 4.—Secretary Taft will at the first opportunity take up with the President the proposition to transfer the control of the whole area of the Panama canal from the War department to the State department. It was his intention to discuss the matter with the President at his conference today, but the lack of time prevented him doing so. The question was brought up some time ago but for various reasons it was postponed to a more favorable occasion.

Since the Spanish-American war, involving the acquisition of the Philippines, the work of the War department has greatly increased, and the suggestion that a transfer to the State department of the canal work, with its many perplexing questions which are bound to come up hereafter, has been under consideration. Secretary Taft, it is known, is willing that a transfer should be made, basing that disposition on expediency.

Rangers After Slayer.

EDNA, Tex., Oct. 4.—Rangers have now taken the field in the effort to catch Monk Gibson, slayer of the Condit family. Many of the posse men have come in and abandoned the search.

THINGS THAT YOU OUGHT TO KNOW.

Lifeboats were first used in 1771.

Cancer is the Latin word for crab.

One inch of rainfall means 100 tons of water upon each acre.

Buysong has built an electric washing machine on the market.

The manufacture of genuine French brandy has almost ceased.

France has forbidden the use of abstinence in the army and navy.

Mistletoe is a parasite which feeds upon the trees upon which it grows.

Enamel cloth made to resemble morocco leather is now used extensively.

Coral is very expensive the finest tints are worth from \$100 to \$500 per ounce.

Long ago poverty-stricken English parents sold their offspring to the Irish, who made slaves of them.

Estimates of the total amount of saving deposits of the world show the amazing figures of \$7,000,000,000.

The ice industry began in Boston in 1855, when a man of the name of Tudor shipped it to Martinique.

Henry III. of England is reputed as having chosen a grain of wheat from the middle of the car as a standard of weight.

Our statute mile, 1600 paces, used also in England, was fixed in the time of Queen Elizabeth and has not since been changed.

Before the introduction of coins and mints gold and silver passed by weight in the forms of lumps, buttons, wedges, or spikes.

Thousands of miles of southwestern Alaska are covered with primeval forests of yellow cedar and white spruce and balsam fir.

When one of the great Generals of ancient Greece died the soldiers of his army shaved their heads and the manes of their horses.

Forty-seven per cent of the Japanese dead are cremated, 10,000 bodies being incinerated yearly at Tokyo, which has six crematoriums.

During the last fifteen years France has expended more, both in time and money, in the investigation of submarine navigation than in any other country.

The Pope's slippers are legion, each pair being made of the finest velvet, the right slipper, which is kissed by pilgrims and other pious visitors, bears a cross of gold.

California, most cruel of Roman Emperors, built a bridge of boats three miles long at Balaie and celebrated its opening by throwing many of his guests into the sea.

Cucumbers are natives of India, and were not first grown in Holland, as is generally supposed, although that country has been the first to appreciate this delicious vegetable.

The oyster fishery industry in Maryland yields more than 10,000,000 bushels a season, worth over \$3,000,000, which affords employment for 20,000 persons.

Our naturalization laws require that if the person applying for citizenship has previously been an alien, he must renounce the same at the time of application.

The Chinese never use butter in any form. In Africa a vegetable is made from the African tree which is used by the natives, and is said to have a much richer flavor than that made from cows' milk.

Chercheria, a species of moth, has on the back of its thorax a remarkable representation of a human skull, and is much feared by the ignorant and superstitious who have named it the "death-head" moth.

Fuller's earth is now being put to various uses, for filling wall, clarifying lard and cottonseed oil, and as a bleaching and cleaner it is invaluable. Nearly 40,000 tons are used yearly, of which Florida produces about three-fourths.

Adansonia, a tree of the tropical forest of Africa, is one of the largest trees in the world, its trunk attaining a diameter of more than twenty feet; some of these trees are 100 years old, and some, it is claimed, have been declared to be 500 years old.

Nebraska rejoices in a curious phenomenon which hydrologists term "blowing" or "breathing" wells. These wells emit a current of air with considerable force, oftentimes accompanied by a whistling sound which can be heard at quite a distance.

Champagne was discovered in the seventeenth century by a monk named Perignon. The inmates of the abbey kept the secret and the enjoyment of the sparkling fluid for many years. In his old age Perignon also invented the peculiar cork which is used to the present day.

In a thunder shower, for each cubic kilometer of air strained to the verge of electrical collapse, the storage of energy, roughly estimated, is equal to 5,000,000,000 kilowatt-hours; a steam engine of 100 horse-power would require nearly twenty-four hours to develop this amount of energy.

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Palma's Laconic Denial

"You Know These Things Are Not True," Says President.

HAVANA, Oct. 4.—When shown the statements made yesterday by Gen. Jose Miguel Gomez, who was a candidate of the Liberal party for the Presidency of Cuba, upon his arrival in New York, President Palma read them carefully and returned them with the laconic remark:

"You know very well that these things are not true."

Gen. Francisco Andrade, Minister of the Interior, emphatically denies all the allegations.

participation in election affairs. Government has instructed all Mayors to respect the rights of foreigners.

Embassador Meyer at Cap.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 4.—Embassador Meyer, who arrived in New York today on the Kaiser Wilhelm I, called on the President and Vice President and War departments, at luncheon with the President at the White House. This is the first visit he has paid to the United States since he has returned to his home in Germany and he is expected to go to his home in Germany and secure a much-needed rest before returning to St. Petersburg.

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